

WORK OF THE CITY COUNCIL.

The Special Joint Committee Begins the Task of Recapitulation.

SHIPPING OF BROAD STREET TRACKS.

The Street Committee Adopts a Substitute Ordinance for Approval—Free Water for Hospitals—Committee on First Market.

The special joint committee of the City Council, appointed under a resolution offered by Mr. George B. Davis, for the purpose of recapitulating the work done by the City Council since July 1, 1894, up to the present time, held its first meeting last evening in room No. 11 of the City Hall. There were present Messrs. George B. Davis, James Caskey, and Joseph Wallerstein, of the Common Council, and Mr. E. M. Noble, of the Board of Aldermen. City Clerk B. T. Augustus stated that Captain E. P. Reeve was absent owing to a previous engagement. City Attorney C. V. Meredith and Special Accountant Carlton McCarthy were also present. The committee was organized by the election of Mr. Davis as chairman, and he then briefly stated that he had offered his resolution in order that the work of the City Council might be recapitulated so as to show the city of Richmond what really had been done.

The City Attorney being asked to suggest something as to how the work might be carried out by the committee in the most satisfactory manner, stated that the committee would first take up the recapitulation of the work done by the members of the Council would by no means represent the truth, because the largest amount of work was always done by the committees, even the number of sessions held by the various committees was mentioned. It would not show the amount of work done. He referred to the Committee on Retrenchment and Reform, on Finance, on Streets, on Health, all of which had labored very hard since they had been in existence. He called attention to the fact that the work done by the Council itself was a comparatively small matter.

Mr. Wallerstein called attention to the fact that during the past twelve months a good deal of public discussion had been given as to the condition of affairs in this city, and it had been generally assumed, although this had been done unintentionally. It had been often asserted that the affairs of the City of Richmond were in a state of confusion, and yet on December 1st the net receipts of the city had been \$12,000 during the past twelve months. It was true this amount would not make any allowance for interest on the capital invested, but supposing the City of Richmond had received \$12,000, at 4 per cent. interest there would be still left a surplus of \$10,000. He also pointed out that the present Council had inaugurated a better method in the distribution of the money appropriated for street purposes. It had brought about a reduction in the expenses of the City Almshouse, it had cut down the cost of the electric light to the city about \$20,000, etc.

Mr. Noble called attention to the fact that there was still a large waste in the use of gas by the various city departments, and Mr. Wallerstein added that the manufacturing alone of the gas used by the City Hall during the past twelve months had cost the city \$2,000.

THE REAL AMOUNT.

City Clerk B. T. Augustus who was asked to give his views on the subject, stated that no matter what report would be submitted by the committee it would not be able to do the members of the Council justice, because most of the committee work was merely of a preparatory nature, and the really effective work was only done by the Council itself. Therefore it was impossible to ascertain absolutely the real amount of work done. He called attention to the fact that the City of Richmond had been fully out of the question to show up the real value of the committee work. As to the work done by the Council alone since July 1, 1894, City Clerk Augustus stated that the committee on Finance had passed 42 large-sized pages of resolutions adopted by both houses of the City Council, and over 200 pages of ordinances passed in the same manner.

Special Accountant McCarthy, being asked for his opinion, said that he deemed it important for the committee to ascertain the exact condition of the finances of the city on July 1, 1894, the status of its bonded and floating debt, and a comparative statement for the present time.

City Attorney Meredith said that he could truthfully state that since he had been City Attorney he had never seen a City Council whose members worked hard and more faithfully than the present ones. In this statement Mr. Meredith was fully corroborated by the members of the press, whose good or bad it had been to sit up with the committee or through the sessions of the two branches of the City Council night after night.

Mr. Wallerstein also pointed out that it had been charged that the city was over-reaching its means by some \$150,000, and yet the one fact, for instance, was that the City of Richmond had during the past year or so the City Collector had bills amounting to \$50,000 for street improvements, where the abutting property owners declined to pay on account of certain defects in the existing law.

FIVE SUB-COMMITTEES.

After some further discussion Mr. Caskey suggested that the committee divide itself into five sub-committees to tackle the work before them in the most systematic and practical manner, each sub-committee to consist of one member. The first one to report the action of the Council in regard to all financial transactions; the second to examine the record of the City Council from July 1, 1894, to July 1, 1895; the third to examine the record of the Council from July 1, 1895, up to the present time; the fourth to examine the work done by the various committees; the fifth (the chairman) to report on other matters not included in the work of the other sub-committees.

This was agreed to, and the chairman appointed the members of the committee to take charge of the various divisions as sub-committees, in the following order as named by Mr. Caskey's resolution: Mr. Caskey, Mr. Noble, Mr. Reeve, Mr. Wallerstein, and Mr. Davis.

The meeting then adjourned until Tuesday, March 18th, when the reports of the various sub-committees are expected to be presented.

COMMITTEE ON STREETS.

Arrangements Perfected for the Shifting of the Various Tracks on Broad Street.

Yesterday afternoon was the regular meeting time for the Council Committee on Streets, and when Major Allen called the meeting to order in room No. 5 of the City Hall at 5 P. M. only Messrs. Allen, Blanks, Burton, Ferriter, and McDowell were present. A recess for fifteen minutes was then taken in order to wait the arrival of a quorum. Soon after Messrs. Diacent and Kling put in an appearance, and the usual business was proceeded with.

The first business taken up was a substitute ordinance in regard to the shifting of tracks on Broad street, as agreed upon by all interested parties. The committee decided to recommend to the Council the adoption of the ordinance. The latter provides the following:

THE NEW ORDINANCE.

1. That the Richmond Union Passenger Railway Company is authorized to shift its tracks on Broad street from Harrison street to Harrison street so as to conform to the plan now on file in the office of the City Engineer, and in the office of the City Clerk, having thereon for the purpose of identification the signature of the City Engineer and also the signatures

of all interested parties. The said tracks, when so moved, shall be held under the terms and conditions under which the present tracks are held.

2. That the Richmond Traction Company is authorized to use the said tracks of the Richmond Union Passenger Railway Company on Broad street from Hancock to Harrison streets upon such terms as have been and may be hereafter agreed upon between said companies. And permission is also given to the Richmond Traction Company to use the single track of the Richmond Union Passenger Railway Company, on Broad street from Twenty-fifth to Twenty-ninth streets, upon such terms and conditions as have been or may hereafter be agreed upon between the companies. But no rights are given the Richmond Union Passenger Railway Company as to the use of any track of the Richmond Traction Company.

3. The Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad Company is also authorized to shift its tracks from a point near Harrison street to a point near Pine street on Broad street, in accordance with the plan at the request of the Richmond Traction Company, and upon such terms as to costs and liabilities as have been or may be agreed upon between these companies.

4. In the shifting of the tracks the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad Company does not acknowledge that the city has any power to require it to shift its tracks; that the railroad company shall have and hold its new tracks and their location under the same rights and title as it holds its present track and location.

OTHER MATTERS.

Captain A. H. Guleon, on behalf of the Standard Traction Company, made an application for the location of a number of telephone poles. On motion of Mr. King, the committee decided to recommend the same to the City Council.

A communication was received from Dr. J. H. Guleon, president of the Board of Health, who recommended that the sewer in the alley between Canal and Cary streets be extended to afford a very necessary sanitary relief to houses fronting on Cary street. On motion of Mr. Burton, it was decided to recommend to the Council that the work be done at the expense of the abutting property owners, the money to be refunded when funds are available.

On the recommendation of the City Engineer, the latter was directed, on motion of Mr. King, that the city hands and carts be used to gravel the streets and roads around the Davis Mansion, and that the city give them gravel gratis for the purpose of leveling the walks and reset the curb on the north side of Clay street.

The usual number of bills and the payroll of the department were approved and ordered.

On motion of Mr. Blanks, the City Engineer was directed to use the hands and carts of the department in gravelling the roadway around the circle of the Lee monument.

After the transaction of some routine business of minor importance, the committee adjourned.

To Ask for Free Water for the Hospitals.

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the Council Committee on Water was called for last evening at 7 o'clock in room No. 12 of the City Hall, but at that hour only Messrs. Blanks, Burton, Ferriter, Mayer, and Trower were present, lacking one member to a quorum. There were also present Dr. Christopher Tompkins, representing the Old Dominion Hospital, and Dr. J. H. Guleon, representing the Virginia Hospital, who desired to apply to the committee for the furnishing of free water to their respective institutions.

For the want of a quorum no business could be transacted, and the chair decided to call another meeting for this evening at 7 o'clock.

Committee on First Market.

The Council Committee on First Market met yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the market-house, with the following members present: Messrs. Davis (chairman), Epps, and King. The payroll and a number of correct bills were approved and ordered to be paid.

On motion of Mr. King, it was decided to request the Finance Committee to recommend to the Council the appropriation of \$2,400 for next year's expense account of the market, and also the appropriation of \$500 for the construction account to construct new scales, relay foundation, etc.

Finance Committee to Meet.

The Council Committee on Finance will meet in the Auditor's office in the City Hall this afternoon at 5 o'clock, to begin with the consideration of the budget for the next fiscal year. Those interested in the matter are invited to be present.

The Committee on Grounds and Buildings will hold an important session this evening at 7 o'clock in room No. 5 of the City Hall.

THE COST OF THE MILITARY.

In Aiding to Carry Out the Laws of the Civil Authorities in the State.

Some very interesting reading is to be found in the report of the Auditor of Public Accounts in regard to the money expended during the past fiscal year to defray the legitimate expenses, as prescribed by the statute, of the various military organizations in the State. That had been called upon to assist the civil authorities in maintaining law and order. From the report it may be seen that the following amounts were paid to the military for assistance in the respective counties: Roanoke county, \$7,044; Tazewell county, \$1,000; Albemarle county, \$24,140; Warlick county, \$186,127; Winchester county, \$566,571; Clarke county, \$311,213; Lunenburg county, \$1,000; and the total, \$1,050,158. All of this money had to be paid out of the general fund of the State from money not otherwise appropriated.

Hustings Court.

In the Hustings Court yesterday morning the case of Sandy Williams was called, charged with cutting Thomas Fuller at the Fulton station some weeks ago. A recess had to be taken until 4:30 P. M. to allow time for the finding of some witnesses who failed to appear. Judge Witt issued attachments for the persons in question and placed the papers in the hands of Sergeant Tomlinson for execution. Judge Witt was highly indignant at the non-appearance of these witnesses and said that unless they had some extraordinary good reasons for their absence he should send them to jail for contempt of court.

When the court reconvened in the afternoon Sergeant Tomlinson, as well as City Sergeant Epps and his deputies, reported that they had been unable to find the witnesses and the case had to be postponed until Wednesday, March 25th.

Tickets Selling Rapidly.

The sale of reserved seats at Manly B. Ramos & Co.'s, 155 E. Broad street, for the concert and entertainment to be given at the Academy of Music on Tuesday night next for the benefit of St. Patrick's church is now in progress. The programme will be made up in the next few days and will be one of absorbing interest. Tickets have been selling like "hot cakes." Captain Angus has sold nearly 100 personally and others have reported very favorably; so that now there is no doubt that there will be a very large audience in attendance.

St. Patrick's Day.

In every little garden you see. There you'll always find the plants and "As we're of the green."

Two Confirmations on Sunday.

On Sunday afternoon Bishop P. M. Whitte held a confirmation in St. Luke's church, corner Washington and Newby streets, where thirty-seven candidates presented themselves.

City Circuit Court.

In the City Circuit Court yesterday a suit was instituted by L. L. Tallaferro against J. M. McCue, to recover \$400 damages.

JAKE WELLS IS WORKING.

He Is Getting Things in Readiness—Barley Kain's Letter.

While "Reddy" Foster is luxuriating in Florida and throwing down to second base and Flynn is reaping a fortune from his accident policy with a broken finger Jake Wells is not idle.

He is as busy as a hen with a lot of new chickens. Every day he sends over a horse in making preparations for the coming of the champions who will be here by next Sunday. The boys will put up at the Hotel Richmond and try to get stout out of the fat of the land.

Wells is getting out a nice score book to be sold on the grounds. It will be gotten up in great shape and will be the only official score book for sale. Jake says that it can be relied on—that is, he means it can be relied on as far as any score book can—but of course they are all prone to errors.

I must tell "Barley" Kain the other day in the Capitol Square, pushing his six-month-old baby boy in a new baby carriage. He looked very proud and happy and told me the child was named Mike. He was already showing signs of becoming a player for he is great at the "hawl." Barley received the following letter from old "Turkey" Groves that will be read with interest by the readers. You can rather a few choice trims from between the lines.

Cincinnati, Mar. 12, 1896.

Friend Barley:

I received your letter this morning and was glad to hear from you. I am also very glad to hear that you will be with us again and an only sorry that more of the old team are not coming back.

George Lawson sends me the papers pretty regularly and I see that baseball is getting warm again. As you have taken the pledge, well, old boy; that is a good thing, for you know that drink and ball-playing won't put together. I meet Jack, Harry, and Andy a good deal over at the root room and I am sure they think they have the book-niggers "arrested." I haven't seen "Speck" for almost a month, as he sticks out in the East. End all the time, but I hear that he hasn't signed anywhere as yet. I suppose you know that Jack goes to "Providence." I heard that Houseman had signed with New Orleans, but don't know whether it is so or not. I wish you had signed anywhere as on his team, so we must surely beat them out.

Jake thinks a whole lot of you, in fact more so than you may think and you can bet you will never lose anything. I am treating him just as I wish you to. I have a good deal myself last season, but I'll tell you I am going to be good and decent the coming season.

The Cincinnati club were after Tanny but he didn't want to play here as he says he didn't believe Ewing would give him a fair trial.

So Reddy Foster has the swell head; well I don't think that. I am glad they are going to fix our outfield, for you know the trouble we used to have with ground balls; it's a wonder we weren't killed. The time for me to be drawing near home is when I am not sorry, for I am tired of doing nothing. Hoping you are in the best of health, I remain as ever,

Your friend,

CLIFF.

Turkey, like some other sensible players, has found Richmond a capital city to live in.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY.

All the Arrangements Complete for the Celebration.

Arrangements for the due observance of St. Patrick's Day today are all complete, and the details have all been carefully arranged, and a delightful time is assured to all who will participate.

The Irish societies will assemble at St. Patrick's school-house at 9 o'clock, and will march from thence to St. Patrick's church, where solemn high mass will be celebrated; the sermon of the day will be preached by the Rev. Father Ahern, of the Catholic church.

The interim between the services at St. Patrick's and the banquet at Murphy's hotel will be spent in holiday-making. Mr. John J. Rankin will be the chief marshal on the occasion, and will be assisted in the discharge of his duties by ten appointees. Among the societies that will participate in the parade are the Ancient Order of Hibernians, No. 1 and No. 2; St. Patrick's Beneficial and Social Society, Catholic Knights of America, St. Mary's Social and Beneficial Society, and the various other societies.

The banquet, which will be served at Murphy's hotel in the evening, will be a very grand affair. The list of guests has already appeared in these columns. The change has been made in the Rev. Father Ahern responding for "Our Clergy" in place of the Rev. J. E. O'Reilly. Mr. Thomas O'Connor, Fulton's mail carrier, a few days ago received from a relative in County Clare, Ireland, a fine lot of the genuine Irish shamrock. Mr. O'Connor has distributed the great amount of his friends, which means that nearly every man in Fulton has a sprig of "the leaf from the old sod" upon the land of his coat.

HAS MALION LAW BEEN REPEALED?

Senator Flanagan Says the Enacting Clause Has Been Stricken Out.

Senator William M. Flanagan as he left the Police Court last Wednesday evening, after the Flood case was disposed of, was seen and he made some sensational statements as to the election law lately passed. He asked me if the Times was aware of the fact that the "Malion Law" had been repealed. I replied that I did not know. "It is true," "It seems clear," said the Senator, "that the pernicious measure is a dead letter and its day is passed."

"How does it happen?" said I. "The new bill is entitled, 'an act to amend and re-enact an act entitled an act to provide for the method of voting by ballot, approved March 6, 1894.' The title as well as the body of the bill reports to amend and re-enact the whole act, and a new bill strikes from the old bill the enacting clause. I understand that the enacting clause is essential in all bills and the new law has so amended and re-enacted the old act as to omit this vitally important clause. It is clear therefore, that if in the new law after the words, 'read as follows,' you insert the language which is prescribed by the new law for the old law, you have a totally defective bill."

"Put my statement in The Times," continued the Senator, "and let us see what the legislators and the newspapers have to say about it."

GETTING DEEPER INTO TROUBLE.

Blount Is Sent to Jail for Several Depredations Committed by Him.

James R. Blount, who was arraigned on Saturday in the Police Court for robbing one of his fellow-boarders at the boarding-house where he was stopping at the time, found himself again in court yesterday morning. This time he was charged with taking a lot of jewelry from Mrs. Belle Watkins, who keeps a boarding-house at No. 243 N. 1st street. He pawned the articles, and was arrested by Sergeant Hall, to whom the case had been referred.

He admitted that he pawned the articles, but claimed that his little boy had found them. He was sent to jail for four months on this charge, and he received thirty days additional in two instances where he had jumped his board-bill. Mrs. O. A. Harris and Mrs. J. E. Bland were the complainants in the case. Blount's ten-year-old son was given into the care of Mrs. Watkins.

THERE IS A THIRD.

James the Bismarck is getting still deeper into trouble.

George W. Jones, who was recently convicted of bigamy in the Hustings Court, now lies in the city jail awaiting removal to the State prison.

He admitted that he married a Prince Edward lady before his marriage with a

Richmond girl, but it was not suspected that he had a third wife.

A letter received by Detective Sergeant Tomlinson, Sunday, discloses that Jones was wedded to an Augusta county girl in 1891, who is probably his lawful wife. It is a somewhat remarkable fact in connection with the bigamist's matrimonial ventures, that he made no attempt to conceal his identity at any time, but was married every time under the same name.

The authorities of Prince Edward will proceed against Jones for bigamy.

Justice Jones's Court.

The following cases were disposed of in the Police Court yesterday:

Maggie Starnard (colored) was charged with assaulting and striking her mother, Adeline Starnard. The woman said she did not believe her daughter had good sense, but the Justice sent the latter to the third day. The woman, Starnard, ordered a commission of inquiry to investigate her case.

Joseph Christian, Willie Gray, Elijah Branch and William Perkins (all colored) were fined \$2.50 and costs for shooting craps.

Charles Quarles (colored) was fined \$2.50 and costs for being disorderly on the street.

Edeline Dickinson (colored) was charged with stealing \$2.50 from Lizzie Smith, but was discharged for the want of evidence.

J. P. Holloway was sent to jail for six months on the charge of abusing and cursing his wife.

The case of George Ellis (colored), charged with stealing a sewing-machine from the Singer Sewing-Machine Company, and continued until Wednesday to await the arrival of witnesses from Norfolk.

Death of Mrs. M. E. Nimmo.

The death of Mrs. Margaret E. Nimmo, of this city, takes away one of the oldest residents, being in the eighty-third year of her age.

She, with her late husband, Mr. C. M. Nimmo, came to this city about sixty years ago from Norfolk, and connected herself with old Trinity Methodist church. She was afterwards a member of Centenary church and was active in church and Sunday-school work until compelled to stop by encroaching age and with the decline of her health. Her life was one of a quiet, unassuming nature.

Mrs. Nimmo left three children: Mrs. Julia Mitchell, of Petersburg; Miss Elvira M. Nimmo and Mr. Thomas E. Nimmo of this city, and at the same time among her grandchildren are: Mr. William L. Zimmer, and Mr. S. P. Mitchell, of Petersburg, and Dr. Virgil Harrison, of Norfolk.

The funeral will take place from Centenary

Virginia State Board of Pharmacy.

The Virginia State Board of Pharmacy met yesterday morning in Colonel John Bell Bigger's office, in the building, 401 North Main street, for the purpose of examining the applications of registered pharmacists and assistant pharmacists which will begin this morning at 10 o'clock, in the hall of the House of Delegates. The following members of the board were present: Mr. T. A. Miller, of Richmond, president; Mr. E. R. Beckwith, of Petersburg, secretary; Mr. C. P. Kearfoot, of Martinsville; Mr. Robert Brydon, of Norfolk; and Mr. James L. Ayle, of Harrisonburg.

Property Transfers.

Richmond: John A. Bushell to Fred H. Garber, 60 feet on north side Graham street between Harrison and Lee streets, \$1,500.

Guarantee Building, Loan, and Trust Company, Emma D. Hill to Clarence Peyton, 40 feet on west side Harrison street near Moore, \$815.

Samuel H. Pulliam to Charles N. Oliver, 10 feet on Hill street between St. John and St. Paul, \$775.

P. Sitterling to Emma J. Peyton, 41 1/2 feet on north side Harrison street near Moore, Harrison, and Norton streets, \$50.

A Valuable Relic.

Mr. Chris. Evensen has on exhibition an interesting and valuable war relic in the form of an old chair, which was used by General Henry A. Wise when he occupied Fort Harris in 1863. The chair was made with a jack-knife by a Confederate soldier. When the fort was evacuated, the chair was left in the hands of Mr. Evensen, and by him was left to his niece, from whom it came to its present owner, Mr. Bennett, of Henrico county. The relic is a valuable addition to the Confederate Museum.

Colonel John Bell Bigger Improved.

Colonel John Bell Bigger, Clerk of the House of Delegates and Keeper of Rolls of the General Assembly, was returned from a few days' sojourn at the home of his friends, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Craig, at Cold Sulphur Springs, Va., and was again at his post yesterday morning, and stated that he felt greatly improved. He said he would have stayed for another week if it had not been for the heavy snow of the past few days, which made it almost impossible to go out of doors. Colonel Bigger expects to make another trip to the same place within a few weeks.

Henrico News Notes.

The Henrico County Court was in session last and short while yesterday.

A noli prosequi was entered in the case of J. L. Hill, the colored lawyer, who has once been convicted in the court for absconding with his client's money, and who was subsequently granted a new trial.

Mr. Mary Boechling and Owen O'Neill were found guilty of selling liquor on Sunday, and fined \$10 apiece.

Chancery Court.

The Chancery Court adjourned for the term yesterday, after sixty-one consecutive days of session, during which three hundred and eighty-four decrees and orders were entered and thirty-four cases were finally determined and disposed of. The next term of the court begins on the first Monday in April next.

The Benzine Exploded.

An alarm from Box 31, at Fourteenth and Main streets, called the department to the drug-store of Rodeker Brothers, at 114 East Main street. Yesterday afternoon a can of benzine, sitting near a stove, had exploded. The fire that started as a result was extinguished with a hand grenade before the department arrived. The loss was about \$10.

PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

Interesting Facts About Richmond's Citizens and Other Matters.

Senator Martin was in the city yesterday.

Colonel J. M. Sledge, of North Carolina, is in the city.

Mr. J. M. Langhorne will leave for Farmville to-day to be a witness in the Pollard murder case.

Mr. Charles Gill left Sunday night for Roanoke Rapids, N. C., expecting to be absent about two months.

Rev. W. W. Landrum, D. D., will preach at the First Baptist Church Sunday with dual with Irene's patron saint as a Baptist.

The funeral of Mrs. W. W. Lefew, whose death was reported in The Times, took place at 3:30 P. M. yesterday from the Second Baptist church.

Mr. H. A. Caulfield has resigned as organist at the First Baptist church. He was very much regretted, as he was able, competent, and popular.

Albert Orth, of the Philadelphia baseball club's pitching staff, was registered on to Hampton yesterday to join his team.

Mr. Haddon Watkins, of Richmond, went to Norfolk Saturday night, and stayed at Freeman-street Baptist church at both morning and evening services Sunday.

Trinity Lodge of Good Templars will have an important meeting at Central Hall on Tuesday night. It is hoped the meeting will be crowded by members and visitors.

Captain T. W. Lindsay, superintendent of the Richmond Industrial Home, has received from the Board of the Industrial Home of the Church of the Covenant a very pretty patch-work quilt.

Mr. W. W. Curran, Secretary of the Railroad Board, and Young Men's Christian Association, will conduct the Tuesday night meeting at Union Gospel mission, corner Third and Main streets.

A meeting of the Church Hill Fishing Club was held at the residence of Mr. R.

Tempe, Pemberton, Cordes & Co.

Enjoying, as we do, the proud distinction of being the only STRICTLY DRY-GOODS HOUSE in Richmond, it shall be our aim more than ever to make our store THE DRY GOODS HOUSE of our fair city. With this end in view, we shall tax every energy to present to our patrons the best and newest of everything in the Dry Goods line, importing largely and buying from first hands in this country and Europe, and with the cheapening power that spot cash always commands, we shall make it our aim to give our patrons the best of everything at the lowest possible prices.

"Job lots," second purses, or defective goods find no place on our shelves or counters. The large and varied stock of DRY GOODS and notions we carry makes Northern Shopping no longer necessary. An inspection of our stock will convince every one that our stock is first-class and strictly up-to-date.

COLORED GRESS GOODS.

Imported and Domestic Novelties, strictly all wool, 50c.

Fancy Mohair, in a variety of colorings, 50c.

Beige Vigorous All-Wool French Fabric, 50c.

Silk and Wool Fancies, in a variety of shades and patterns, 50c.

Tailor-Made Suits, plain and mixed cloths, all new, 75c.

BROADCLOTH

In all the new colors, elegant for Tailor-Made Suits, 75c. \$1. \$1.25, \$1.50, and \$2.

High Grade Figured Mohair, of finest English goods, \$1.25.

Fancy French Mohair, in new combinations of colors, \$2.25 yard.

PLAIDS.

A superb line of new effects in Silk and Wool, 50c. \$1. \$1.25, \$1.50.

FANCY SHEPHERD PLAIDS.

In combination of Blue, Brown, Tan, Black, Green, or Pink, stylish and elegant, full 50 inches wide, \$1 per yard.

ENGLISH TWEED.

Handsome assortment of colorings, \$1.15 per yard.